

II. PRELIMINARY MATTERS:

- A. Requests for continuances, withdrawals, postponements, or addition of ex-agenda items.
None.
- B. Announcements and appeals.
None.
- C. Comments from members of the public pertaining to items not on this agenda.
Chair Larson opened the public hearing at 1:07 P.M. and, with no one wishing to speak, closed the hearing.

III. NEW ITEMS:

ACTUAL TIME: 1:07 P.M.

- A. APPLICATION OF PATSY STADELMAN, BROWNSTEIN HYATT FARBER SCHRECK, LLP, AGENT FOR ANDREW M. SEYBOLD, 415 ALAN ROAD, APN 041-091-024, A-1/SD-3, ONE-FAMILY RESIDENCE AND COASTAL OVERLAY ZONES, GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION: RESIDENTIAL, ONE UNIT PER ACRE (MST2009-00083)

The proposal is a request to initiate a Zone Change, General Plan Amendment and Local Coastal Program Amendment for a portion of the parcel (proposed parcel B) located at 415 Alan Road, from A-1/SD-3 (One-Family Residence/Coastal Overlay Zone) to E-3/SD-3 (One-Family Residence/Coastal Overlay Zone) and from Residential, one unit per acre to Residential, five units per acre.

If the initiation requests are approved, the proposed project would also require a Tentative Subdivision Map to allow a subdivision of the parcel into two lots, a Lot Area Modification to allow less than the required lot area for one lot (proposed parcel A) and a Coastal Development Permit.

The initiation requests are as follows:

1. Initiation of a Zone Change from A-1/SD-3 (One Family Residence/Coastal Overlay Zone) to E-3/SD-3 (One Family Residence/Coastal Overlay Zone);
2. Initiation of a General Plan Amendment from Residential, One unit per acre to Residential, Five units per acre; and
3. Initiation of a Local Coastal Program Amendment to accept the Zone Change.

Case Planner: Kathleen Kennedy, Associate Planner
Email: KKennedy@SantaBarbaraCA.gov

Kathleen Kennedy, Associate Planner, gave the Staff presentation.

Steve Amerikaner, Attorney, gave the applicant presentation joined by Andrew Seybold, Property Owner.

Chair Larson opened the public hearing at 1:29 P.M. and acknowledged the correspondence received.

Gill Barry, neighbor, spoke in opposition to the project on behalf of neighbor Dr. Timothy Rodgers, who could not be present at the meeting. He cited concerns over the lot split and increased density and stated that a previous condition of approval prohibited any further subdivision of the parcel.

With no one else wishing to speak, the public hearing was closed at 1:33 P.M.

Scott Vincent, Assistant City Attorney, answered Planning Commission questions about how the slope density provisions of the City's Ordinance apply to the project. Mr. Vincent also stated that the City cannot place a condition on a property that would not allow an owner to request further division of the property.

The Commission made the following comments:

1. Commissioner Lodge was not in support because it would become denser.
2. Commissioner White concurs but may be in support of a secondary unit in the future.
3. Commissioner Bartlett was in support because the new lot would conform and the applicant is willing to pay in-lieu fees and construct a green building. Need to fix the rules.
4. Commissioner Bartlett suggested that the General Plan and Zoning inconsistencies in this area be addressed in the future.
5. Commissioner Thompson suggested that the in-lieu fee option be explored.

MOTION: Lodge/White

Assigned Resolution No. 025-09

Denied the initiation of a Zone Change, General Plan Amendment and Local Coastal Program Amendment for the proposed project as recommended in the Staff Report.

This motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 Noes: 2 (Bartlett/Thompson) Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 (Jacobs/Jostes)

Chair Larson announced the ten calendar day appeal period.



City of Santa Barbara California

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA PLANNING COMMISSION

RESOLUTION NO. 025-09

415 ALAN ROAD

ZONE CHANGE, GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT AND LOCAL COASTAL PROGRAM AMENDMENT
JUNE 11, 2009

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WHEREAS, the Planning Commission has held the required public hearing on the above application, and the Applicant was present.

WHEREAS, no one appeared to speak in favor of the application, and 1 person appeared to speak in opposition thereto, and the following exhibits were presented for the record:

1. Staff Report with Attachments, June 4 2009.
2. Site Plans
3. Correspondence received in support of the project:
 - a. Steven Amerikaner
 - b. Steve H. Dougherty, via email
 - c. Richard B. Tanner, Santa Barbara, CA

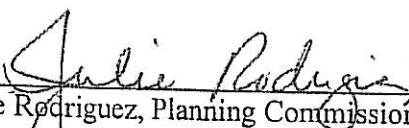
4. Correspondence received in opposition to the project:
- b. Judy Orias, Allied Neighborhood Association, via email
 - c. Herbert L. Gravitz and Julie Borden, via email
 - d. Timothy Rodgers, M. D., via email
 - e. Paula Westbury, Santa Barbara, CA

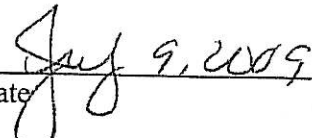
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Planning Commission:
Denied the initiation of the Zone Change, General Plan Amendment and Local Coastal Program Amendment.

This motion was passed and adopted on the 11th day of June, 2009 by the Planning Commission of the city of Santa Barbara, by the following vote:

AYES: 3 NOES: 2 (Bartlett, Thompson) ABSTAIN: 0 ABSENT: 2 (Jacobs, Jostes)

I hereby certify that this Resolution correctly reflects the action taken by the city of Santa Barbara Planning Commission at its meeting of the above date.


Julie Rodriguez, Planning Commission Secretary


Date July 9, 2009

THIS ACTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION CAN BE APPEALED TO THE CITY COUNCIL WITHIN TEN (10) DAYS AFTER THE DATE THE ACTION WAS TAKEN BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION.